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## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification as amended below with replacement paragraphs shows added text with <u>underlining</u> and deleted text with <u>strikethrough</u>.

Please ADD the paragraph beginning at page 1, before line 1, with the following paragraph:

More than one reissue application has been filed for the reissue of Patent No. 5,967,637.

The reissue applications are application numbers 09/977,241 (the instant application) and 11/165,241, all of which are divisional reissues of Patent No. 5,967,637.